

The Soviet Union Under Stalin

Five-Year Plans

- Command economy
- Mixed industrial results
- Policies lead to famine.

Methods of Control

- Ruthless use of terror—secret police, Gulag, purges
- Propaganda and censorship
- Russification
- Attack on religion

Daily Life

- New elite in control
- Free services, such as schools and day care
- Low standard of living
- Women gain equal rights under law.